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Galenica Pharmaceuticals, Inc., a corporation of Delaware, having a principal place of business at 2800 Milan Court, Suite 118, Birmingham, AL 35211, is assignee of the entire right, title, and interest for the United States of America (as defined in 35 U.S.C. §100), by reason of an Assignment to the Assignee executed on July 29, 2004 of an invention known as **Semi-Synthetic Saponin Analogs with Carrier and Immune Stimulatory Activities for DNA and RNA Vaccines** (Attorney Docket No.1635.0190002/JMC/AES), that is disclosed and claimed in a patent application of the same title by the inventor Dante J. Marciani (said application filed on April 8, 2004 at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, having Application Number 10/820,036 ).

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The Assignee hereby appoints the U.S. attorneys associated with **CUSTOMER NUMBER 28393** to prosecute this application and any continuation, divisional, continuation-in-part, or reissue application thereof, and to transact all business in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith, such attorneys currently being: Robert Greene Sterne, Esq., Registration No. 28,912; Edward J. Kessler, Esq., Registration No. 25,688; Jorge A. Goldstein, Esq., Registration No. 29,021; David K.S. Cornwell, Esq., Registration No. 31,944; Robert W. Esmond, Esq., Registration No. 32,893; Tracy-Gene G. Durkin, Esq., Registration No. 32,831; Michele A. Cimbala, Esq., Registration No. 33,851; Michael B. Ray, Esq., Registration No. 33,997; Robert E. Sokohl, Esq., Registration No. 36,013; Eric K. Steffe, Esq., Registration No. 36,688; Michael Q. Lee, Esq., Registration No. 35,239; Steven R. Ludwig, Esq., Registration No. 36,203; John M. Covert, Esq., Registration No. 38,759; Linda E. Alcorn, Esq., Registration No. 39,588; Lawrence B. Bugaisky, Esq., Registration No. 35,086; Donald J. Featherstone, Esq., Registration No. 33,876; Robert C. Millonig, Esq., Registration No. 34,395; Michael V. Messinger, Esq., Registration No. 37,575; Judith U. Kim, Esq., Registration No. 40,679; Timothy J. Shea, Jr., Esq., Registration No. 41,306; Patrick E. Garrett, Esq., Registration No. 39,987. The Assignees hereby grant said attorneys the power to insert on this Power of Attorney any further identification that may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

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